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1948

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1950

1951

1952

James Hyde Porter

Elsie Gibson Hart

Elsie Hart Jones

T. E. Huggins Charles Merrill

The column in this issue in memory of

Joe M. Cox

# Fellowship Given by Wesleyan Professor In Memory of Brother



JOE M. COX

All make

Dr. James C. Cox, Jr., of the chemistry department and his wife have recently given to Wesleyan the sum of \$400 to be used by a Wesleyan College senior for graduate study in chemistry, this gift to be known as the Joe M. Cox Fellowship in memory of the brother of Dr. Cox, who gave his life for his country in World War II.

Joe Cox was a freshman at West Virginia Wesleyan College, and was president of the West Virginia Methodist Youth Fellowship when he went into the army. He trained at Camp Wheeler, and on his nineteenth birthday was in Europe with the 90th Division of the Third Army under General Patton.

He died in 1944 of wounds received in action, and is buried in Arlington Cemetery.

This is a fitting memorial for a fine young man. His brother, Dr. James Cox, came to Wesleyan last fall as associate professor and acting head of the chemistry department.

## THE WESLEYAN ALUMNAE

## **COMMENCEMENT IN 1950**

"Alumnae Day" is June 3, and the Alumnae Annual Meeting will be in the George Foster Pierce Chapel at 11:00 A.M.

The Alumnae Day speaker, Hugh Moss Comer, who refers to himself as a person with an "utter lack of control of syntax, and a complete ignorance of the language as it is properly spoken," is president and treasurer of the Avondale Mills of Alabama, past president of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association, and past president of the University of Alabama Alumni Association.

His speech on "Get Ready for Greatness" will be the feature of the Alumnae Day program.

#### His Wesleyan Connections

When Kay (Bailey) Burts, vice-president in charge of commencement, extended the invitation of the alumnae to Mr. Comer, his acceptance was immediate and he made the statement "My uncle Ed (Mr. Edward Trippe Comer) was highly interested in Wesleyan," which is a masterpiece of understatement about a man who was one of the greatest benefactors the college has ever known.

In 1919 Edward Trippe Comer provided the Catherine L. Comer Loan Fund in memory of his mother, a graduate of the second class to receive degrees from Weslevan. When this Fund grew to the sum of \$100,000 the trustees were authorized to set aside \$50,000 for a chair in honor of Mr. Comer's mother. The Fund has reached \$100,000 twice, and there are now two chairs, the Catherine L. Comer Chair of Fine Arts and the Catherine L. Comer Chair of Painting and Drawing. The Catherine L. Comer Loan Fund now stands at \$85,946.40. In addition, Mr. Comer's will provided a sum of money for the Art Department, the total received thus far from this being \$98,797.88. His widow, the late Georgia Collier Comer, has given to Wesleyan the money for a fine arts building in memory of her father.

Sallie B. (Comer) Lathrop, A.B. 1891, is a sister of the speaker, and her gifts to Wesleyan through the Alumnae Loyalty Fund, are never-failing. She originated

the idea, some years ago, of giving to her Alma Mater one dollar for each year since her graduation which she calls a "thank-offering for another year of life," a custom which provides much-needed scholarships for Wesleyan students.

The first cousins of this brother and sister were the late Annie (McDonald) Drewry, A.B. '84, and Eva Gertrude Mc-



Hugh Moss Comer

Donald, A.B. '87. After the graduation of Eva Gertrude in '87 she returned to do post-graduate work in piano. Just two days before commencement she was stricken ill and died on July 23 at the age of 18. She was awarded two medals for painting and drawing at the Commencement exercises that took place while she was ill. In 1923 the mother of this girl gave to Wesleyan the sum of \$25,000 as a permanent endowment for the library. About \$1,000 a year comes to the library from this fund for the unrestricted purchase of books.

#### Luncheon for Alumnae

Lunch will be served in the Conservatory dining room at 1:15 P.M. The cost of the luncheon is \$1.25, and reservation, with check, should be mailed by May 27 to: Mr. Roy Domingos, Wesleyan Conservatory, Macon, Ga.

1885,	1886,	1887,	1888
1904,	1905,	1906,	1907
1923,	1924,	1925,	1926
1942	1943	1944	1945

#### Speaker for Sunday, June 4

The Rev. Weyman C. Huckabee will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, June 4, at Mulberry Street Methodist Church at 11:30 A.M.

Mr. Huckabee is executive secretary of the Layman's Movement for Christian World Inc., in New York. He studied at Emory University and at Duke University, and for several years served as a missionary to Japan. He is a member of the South Georgia Conference, and is a brother of Mr. Leo Huckabee, chairman of the Wesleyan Board of Trustees.

#### An Alumna to Deliver the Graduation Address

Dr. Sara Elizabeth Branham, A.B. '07, who is in private life Mrs. P. S. Matthews, will give the Commencement address in the George Foster Pierce chapel on June 5, at 11:00 A.M.

Dr. Branham holds five college degrees besides her Wesleyan A.B., including the Ph.D. and M.D. from the University of Chicago, and the honorary Doctor of Science from the University of Colorado. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, a member of Sigma Xi (honorary research fraternity), was awarded the Howard Taylor Ricketts Prize for research in Pathology, and has been since 1928 on the staff of the United States Public Health Laboratories in Washington, now senior bacteriologist.

Her paternal grandmother was in the

first class at Wesleyan, Elizabeth Flournoy. Her mother received a medal in voice at Wesleyan in 1885, and Dr. Branham has given this to Wesleyan's historical collection. Her paternal grandfather taught history at the college and her maternal grandfather taught mathematics. Among her aunts who have attended is Lynn Branham whose Wesleyan class of 1886 is having a reunion this Commencement.

Dr. Branham served as a trustee of the college for a three-year term of office, 1936-1939.

Wesleyan alumnae are proud of her outstanding achievements in the field of science, and of her deep devotion to her Alma Mater through the years.

## Alumnae Will Honor Retiring Professor

On Alumnae Day Professor James Walter Wright Daniel, who is retiring after 44 years as a teacher of history and economics at Wesleyan, will be honored by his "old girls."

In the summer of 1906 a young man who had just resigned as a teacher at the Mooney School for Boys in Nashville, Tennessee, stopped by Wesleyan on his way to Columbus where he was to be considered for a position. He talked to Judge DuPont Guerry, who was then president of the college, and to Professor James C. Hinton of the faculty, and before he was scheduled to meet with the school board in Columbus Judge Guerry telegraphed him the news of his election to the faculty of Weslevan.

Professor Daniel has been here ever since. For many years he was the bachelor of the faculty, and then on June 27, 1925 he was married to Miss Bessie Major of Anderson, S. C. On February 22, 1928 their daughter, Betty Jane, was born. (The students felt it singularly appropriate that her birthday should be one of historical importance, and The Watchtower of the week following carried a clever cartoon of Professor Daniel at the blackboard which was marked off with his favorite lines for the centuries and tagged with important news and dates. "What does February 22 remind you of?" he is saying, and according to the cartoonist, the Father of his country has faded into oblivion beside the new daughter. The daughter received her A.B. from Wesleyan in 1949, and is this year doing graduate work at Emory University.)

Recently there came to the alumnae office from a graduate of the class of 1947 a letter saying: "In a way I wish the alumnae 'distinguished service award' were not restricted to alumnae, for I'd like to nominate Mr. Daniel. I think he is one of Wesleyan's superior teachers. In these days of methodology, it was fine to have the experience of being taught by one whose techniques of teaching were original. His vast knowledge, implemented by real liberalism and ever-new curiosity, made college richer for thousands of students. I am happy to have been privileged to be among them."

## If Your Class Is Planning A Reunion

You should plan to arrive at Wesleyan sometime in the afternoon of Friday, June 2, to be on hand for the dinner in the Rivoli dining room for reunioners and officers, at 6:00 P.M.

The college dormitory will house all out-of-town reunioners. But make your reservation well ahead of time. We have to make many plans for your comfort and convenience.

Hattie (Branch) Sibley of the Silver Anniversary Class, is coming from Lyons, N. Y., although she came to Georgia for a Wesleyan reunion just last fall. Here are some comments from her letter about that trip:

"I arrived Friday, November 10 in Atlanta in time to catch my breath before the gang arrived in force, Mary (Harwell) Crapps, Frances Wootten, Margaret Richards, Martha Few, Irene (Sewell) Hobby, and Elizabeth (Fulghum) Sherrill. (I thought of my son who says that when I visit my college chums in Georgia, 15 of us can talk at the top of our voices at once and somehow or other we manage to know what everybody is saying!)

"We had a wonderful dinner that night at Roline (Trimble) Boyle's house. She has a lovely family. Her son, Bobby, did not try any of his magic tricks that night, but somebody had magic in that Brunswick stew! (Cabbage sandwiches would have been good with it.)

"Saturday noon we had a luncheon at Frances Wootten's invitation, in the Paradise room at the Henry Grady hotel, and the picture we had made now graces my living room. Rosalie (Radford) Stillwell joined us there.

"We went to a Wesleyan Alumnae tea at the home of Margaret (Zattau) Roan. (This was the second alumnae tea I ever attended, my first having been in New York City some years ago when we drove through a terrific snow storm over 300 miles to meet Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Anderson. This time I went over 1,000 miles to Atlanta.)

"From the tea, with Zat joining our group, we descended upon Margaret Richards' 'Sister Moore' as guests of Margaret and Martha Few for another grand meal.

"As a climax of the day and again as guests of Roline, we enjoyed a play at the Penthouse Theatre.

"I hope the present-day Wesleyan girls know about the Wesleyan spirit, or whatever it is that makes us love it so.

## SHALL WE COUNT YOU IN?

As the magazine goes to press, cards are pouring in from reunioners who are "really planning to come" for Alumnae Day, June 3. Of course there will be others (as a matter of fact some cards have come in with no signatures, so we know this is not a complete list by any means), but this will give you an idea.

Lewella (Ashburn) Jones Annie (Cargill) Cook

Annie Belle (Cox) Lanier Blanche (Hall) Neel Minnie (Morgan) Bailey Ada (Murphey) Pound Emma O. Smith

Sallie (Barron) Ellis Ella (Crosby) Kemp Minnie (Rockwell) Orr Carrie Speer

Frances (Harris) Wallace Louise Lin Fannie (Winship) Haskell Aline (Bradley) Boykin
May Boyd (Clarke) Harber
Anne (Shaw) Richardson
Lillian (Solomon) Roberts
Ophelia (Smith) Guerry
Estelle (Stevens) Mason
Alice (Williams) Benton

Octavia (Burden) Stewart Louie (Fenn) Woodward Eliza (Hill) Martin Elizabeth (Hollis) Childs Louise (Johnson) Kelly Jennie (Riley) Crump Maie Dell (Roberts) Covington

Vera (Alexander) Russell Mary (Balkcom) Brown Sara (Branham) Matthews Mattie (Chappell) Lawton Willie (Erminger) Mallary Alberta (Gray) Cason Odille (King) Dasher Ella Clare McKellar Jane (Moss) Fields

#### 1923

Dorothy (Brown) Reeves Floy (Cook) Stephenson Ruth Field Rebekah (Oliphant) Anthony Mildred (Taylor) Stevens

#### 1924

Marjorie (Gugel) Key Katherine (Holmes) Messink Audrey (Jenkins) Garrard Lucile (Killingsworth) Shelor Julia Newton Margaret Richards Lucia (Sammons) Green Colleen (Sharp) Davis Roline (Trimble) Boyle

#### 1925

Neva (Barrow) Antley
Robertine (Belcher) Carmichael
Maryella Camp
Lucile Carswell
Pauline (Carter) Brown
Harriet (Evans) Southwell
Laree (Farr) Blanks
Martha Few
Loulie (Forrester) Burns
Stella (Johnson) Ambrose
Ruth (Kelly) Nichols
Helen (McNatt) Bradley
Kathryn (Pate) Rackley
Frances (Peabody) McKay
Frances (Roberts) White
Cornelia Shiver
Mary (Strozier) Jeter
Ruby Tanner
Eunice Thomson
Mildred (Vinson) Clanton
Elizabeth Winn

#### 1925

Emily (Brown) Edwards
Elizabeth (Cannon) Nunn
Frances (Cater) Snow
Rachel (Davidson) Strickland
Lavada Harper
Frances (Holland) Pringle
Freda (Kaplan) Nadler
Katherine (Lowe) Clarke
Frances (Mims) Stratton
Jeannette (Wallace) Oliphant
(Special Student)
Katherine (Walker) McElheny
Anna (Weaver) Lee
Margaret (Zattau) Roan

#### 1942

Martha (Aiken) Pendergrast
Mary S. (Becking) Smith
Midred (Fincher) Efland
Rebecca (Griffin) Barton
Irma (King) Guest
Elizabeth (Martin) Jennings
Virginia (Powell) Ferrell
Betty Ray
Ruth Hill Reid, Jr.
Martha (Rodgers) Hudson
Anne Hyer Smith
Margaret (Smith) Carruth
Emily (Whitaker) Vickers
Bettye (Withers) Barnes
Martha (Woolbright) Millirons
Louie Frances Woodward (M.D.)

#### 1943

Mary (Anderson) Comer Harriet (Dasher) Watkins Nell Davis Edith (Gillon) Harrison Elizabeth (Drinnon) Lewis Mamie (Griffin) Denson Jean Overstreet Nell (Tucker) Popper Mary Louise Willcox

#### 1944

Martha (Amyx) McGinnis
Frances (Ansley) Kasmussen
Mildred Bovaird
Betty Bruner
Blanche Coleman
Mae (Daley) Wayne
Geneva (Davidson) Baird
Suzanne (Davis) Hardee
Helen (Farmer) Popejoy
Martha Niblack
Dorothy Ann (Pim) Roth
Irene (Pound) Peden
Elizabeth (Rycroft) Wood
Frances (Sanders) Richter
Nanette (Snelling) Robison
Margaret (Spear) Diedrich

Virginia (Sutherland) Davis Kathryn (Spivey) Grindler Betty Tarpley Vivian Wilson

#### 1945

Marianne (Arnold) Sapp Louise (Avera) Peterson Jeanne (Benefield) Dillard Zeph Blain Lucille Carter Jean (Cone) Snooks
Wylene (Dillard) Kendrick
Lorena (Durden) Bowman Regena (Grantham) Keen Clyde (Green) Martin Sara Griffin Mayre (Hall) Crutchfield Jeanne Herritage Herbert Herrington Bettie (Hotaling) Bland Dorothea Jarratt Katherine (Johnston) Gantt Elizabeth (Jones) Rutland Lila (Longley) Hicks Gertha (Puryear) Holmes Mary Eva (Ray) Flanders Florence Tucker

## Nominee for Alumnae Trustee

The nominee for Alumnae Trustee to succeed Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore whose three-year term of office expires this year is Eleanor (McDonald) Elsas, A.B. and B.M. 1929, of Atlanta.

Wife of William R. Elsas, president of the Fulton Bag and Cotton Mills of Atlanta, Eleanor is outstanding in musical and artistic circles in that city. She and her husband often have musicales at their home on Randall Mill Road, where they have a lovely country home and stables for 15 saddle horses, as well as fifty hounds, farm animals, and a couple of pet dogs.

Since she was nine years old, Eleanor has studied music, first under Earle Chester Smith, then at Wesleyan, and later in New York under Alexander Borovsky. She has given piano concerts in Atlanta and elsewhere, once at Wesleyan at the urgent request of her friends who know her primarily as a musician. She is vice-president of the Atlanta Music Club, and a member of the Symphony Guild.

Three years ago she and a friend, Mrs. Ernest Felber, opened "The Gallery" in Atlanta where they have exhibitions of masterpieces and sell fine paintings.

The Elsas' are members of the Saddle and Sirloin Club and are trustees of the Atlanta Art Association. Eleanor is a member of the Iris Garden Club, the Tallulah Falls Young Matrons' Circle, of the Rabun Gap Nacoochee friends, of the Collins Methodist Church.

As first vice-president of the Wesleyan Alumnae Association she ably introduced as Alumnae Day speakers: Colonel Oveta



Eleanor (McDonald) Elsas, A.B., B.M.

Culp Hobby in 1944; Willie (Snow) Ethridge in 1945; and Betty Lou (White) Fisher in 1946.

Because she is a graduate of both the liberal arts college and conservatory; because she has proved her interest in worthwhile things in her community and her leadership in such things; because she has shown her loyalty to Wesleyan by attendance at alumnae gatherings, by holding an office in the Association, and by continuous support of the college through the Alumnae Loyalty Fund, the committee feels that Eleanor (McDonald) Elsas will make a valuable alumnae representative on the Wesleyan Board of Trustees.



**GUESS** 

WHOSE



## CHILDREN?

Top, left to right: Karin and Alfred, Jr., children of Mary Stewart (Becking) Smith, '42 (grandchildren of Gussie (Finney) Becking, '05); Joe, son of Margaret (Smith) Carruth, '42; Peer, son of Miriam (Chylinski) Lykke, '45; Martha Jean, daughter of Frances (Staley) Hardin, '39; Nita, daughter of Juanita (McLean) Arnold, '42; Elizabeth Anne and Jean, daughters of Dorothy Ann (Pim) Roth, '44.

Second row: Larry and Charles who became the sons of Libba (Harman) Woodall, '48, when she married their father in December, 1948; Abby and Kathy (twins) and their brother, Fred, Jr., children of Rietta (Bailey) Howard, '34 (grand-mother, Annie (Winn) Bailey, '08; great-grandmother, Lila (Jones) Winn, '76; great-grandmother, Mary Frances (Dean) Jones, '52; Gerrie and Rosella, granddaughters of Geraldine (Dessau) Wheeler, '00 (great-granddaughters of Fannie (Gilmer) Dessau, '78; great-granddaughters of Geraldine (Lamar) Gilmer Bibb, '45).

Third row: Laura and Lindy, children of Helen (White) Lindell, '41; John and Matthew, sons of Martha (White) Cliett, '43; and Jennifer, daughter of Mary (White) Ware, '47 (grandchildren of Mattie (McMath) White, '19).

Fourth row: Kathy and Scotty, children of Alice (Burrowes) Ritter, '42.

## The Loyalty Fund to Date

This spring 312 "Class Fund Agents" sent out notices in the form of "Valentines" to their classmates. Judging from their comments and from the fact that nearly all of them (plus 58 more alumnae at the present writing) have agreed to help in a similar way next year, they enjoyed doing it!

Here are some excerpts from the Class Agents' letters:

"I had such fun writing notes to my classmates! My contribution in money is necessarily small, and I want to do all I can for Wesleyan for it has meant so much to all of my family."

"With several small children, I cannot promise to do anything for Wesleyan that takes me away from home; I'm glad to do things of this kind."

"This was a good plan. After all, I think most of the alumnae mean well, but forget. Such an attractive reminder should help a lot."

"Several of my friends have remarked to me on what a swell idea this was. Here's hoping we have a good response."

"I derived much pleasure from these 'fireside chats' with old friends, and should like to do it another year."

"Writing these has made me quite homesick for Wesleyan and the girls I knew there."

"I've gleaned some information from the married names and addresses, and have enjoyed this contact. I hope that some on my list will write to me."

To the date of going to press (April 1, 1950) the following alumnae have sent in their Loyalty Fund contributions totaling \$2,385.00. These are in addition to the 213 alumnae, two clubs, and one friend listed in the February magazine. Additional names will appear in the Commencement issue.

(Star to the left indicates that this is the second gift during this fiscal year by this alumna.)

Josephine (Whitehurst) Rozar 1883 Sallie (Jennings) Kendall (In memoriam gift by her daughter) Mary Louise (Mustin) Carr 1884 Love (Moreland) Leigh ☆Lynn Branham Nena (Grest) Clark ☆Annie May (Mallery) Andrews

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1887
Zoe (Campbell) McKay
Jessie (Munroe) Dickey
Carrie Sesions
1888
Clara (Boynton) Cole
Alice Napier
Florence (Nisbet) Chambers
Carrie Speer
1889
Kate (Davidson) Roberts
Gertrude (Harris) Brown
(In memoriam gift by her
husband)
1890
Lila May Chapman
Nimqui (Williams) Smith
1891
Adela (Barksdale) Ware

Aimou (Williams) Similar 1891

Adela (Barksdale) Ware Sallie B. (Comer) Lathrop Alice (Feagin) Whipple Martha (Huff) Jennings Mary (Nicholson) Ainsworth Birt (Thomas) Park 1892

Daisy Peddy Maggie (Rees) Nelson Pearl (Wight) Clower Bertha (Willingham) Seibels 1893

Marguerite (Crawley) Davis Loula (Evans) Jones (In memoriam gift by her husband)

(In memoriam gilt by nexhusband)
Susie (Middleton) Corbett
Martha (Morehouse) Bowen
Bessie (Munroe) Davidson
Bloise (Nicholson) McIntosh
Emma (Walker) Wylly
1894
Vice (Fish) McClesky

Nina (Fish) McClesky Bessie Lawrence Carrie (May) Davis Sallie (Shinholser) Miller Nora (Wood) Ware

1896
Lena (Heath) Jones
Grace (Mann) Bell
Sara (Turner) Houser
1897
Rosa (Guerry) Snowden
Mary (Nottingham) Lawton 1898

Eloise Pickett Louise Bonnell
Ola May (Harrison) Moulder
Lula (Stephens) McFarlane
Robert L. Walker
1900
(Wabb) Patterson 1899

1900
Abbie Julia (Webb) Patterson
Mary Lucy (White) deJarnette
1901
Emma (Gary) Lee
Margaret (Hall) Hazard
Mary (Park) Polhill
1902
Emmie Lela (Gramling) Perkinson

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Mattie (Hatcher) Flournoy
Caroline (Weaver) Porter
Anne E. (Williams) Pearce
1903
Maud (Allen) Wall
Rose (Bivings) Timmons
Kathryn (Dean) Lee
Myrtle (Fennell) Waldo
Elizabeth Green
Mozelle (Harris) Jackson
Lucy Lester

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Lucy Lester
Ethel (Wynn) Harley
1904
Kate (Callaway) Malone
Dessa (Hays) Asher
Annie (McGuire) Beall
Minnie Pate
Tommie Louise (Turner) Craft
Martha Drake (Weaver) Sutton
1905
Margie Burks
Augusta (Finney) Becking
Belle Sanders
Anne (Shaw) Richardson
Essie (Steellie) McCook
Estelle (Stevens) Mason
1906
Nellie R. Bryan
Octavia (Burden) Stewart
Annie Jean (Culbreath) Cotton
Mary E. Dozier
Eliza (Hill) Martin
Elizabeth (Hollis) Childs
Louise (Johnson) Kelly
Nan (Kitchings) Weathers

Martha (Lewis) Kaderly Louise (Monning) Elliott Louise E. Thomas 1907

Nittie (Jewett) Budd Julia (Jones) Holcomb Odille (King) Dasher Jane (Moss) Fields Adele Salley

Mattie (Adams) Buchanan
Loulie Barnett
Bessie (Copeland) Griffin
Alma Fennell
Florence (Howard) Domingos
Clyde (Malone) Cohen
Irma (Neal) Little
Myrtle (Smith) Olliff
Rosa Belle (Ward) Daniel
1909
Nonie (Acree) Quillian

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Lucy (Bryan) Johnson
Louise (Davis) Davison
Nora (Taylor) Houser
Sara Lee (Thornton) Jackson
Bertha (Winter) Carswell
1910
AFrances (Davenport) Hudson
Sara Lee (Evans) Lippincott
Cornelia Smith
1911

Hazel (Hamilton) Rogers
Mary (Ponder) Hatch
Doris (Ricketson) Montgomery
1912
Petrona (Humber) Hean

Petrona (Humber) Hean Ves Parker Alleen (Poer) Hinton 1913 Kathleen (McRae) Murphree Gladys (Slappey) Maddux

Susie P. Brown
Eloise (Cooper) Campbell
Alberto (Denton) Marshall
Ruth (Radford) Launius
Clara (Warfield) Stamps

Evelyn (Wright) Banks
1915
Florrie (Griffin) Carmichael
Bernice (Wright)
1916
Christine Broome

Christine Broome
Nell (Ethridge) Lawrence
Althea Carr (Exley) Gna
Louise (Jones) DeBord

1917 Elizabeth (Davenport) Plant Olive (DeFoor) Brittain

Edith (Culpepper) Turpin Sarah (Hodge) Haywood Irene (Kilpatrick) Tanham Maude (Nutting) Leach

1918 Margaret (Atkinson) Clark Ray Ballard Katherine (Clecker) Arnold Genie A. Fincher Vail (Jones) Weems Leolene Helen (Morris) Harrington

1919
Eddie Mae (Barrett) Spear
Sarah (Bryan) Dodge
Lucia (Chappell) Domingos
Louise (Evans) Jones
Mary (Jones) Broyles
Lucile Fincher
Amary Marvin (James) Twitty

1920
Nell (Bates) Penland
Rebecca (Caudill) Ayars
Mary (Harrison) Gillespie
Gladys (Stewart) Duncan

Lois (Burgay) Gaunt Josephine (Evans) Miller Margaret (Jordan) Sizer

1922 Esther (Kim) Herr Ellie (McNeil) Caldwell Annie Laurie (Turner) Den-

1923
Sara (Pellew) Dennis
1924
Jeanette Anderson
Louise Ballard
Arline Harris
Mary Miller

Nary Miller

1925
Neva (Barrow) Antley
Sarah (Culpepper) Cutts
Harriet (Evans) Southwell
Martha Few
Maggie Ellen King
Autrey (Lewis) Randall
Rebecca (Ray) Turton
1926
Frances (Cater) Snow
1927
Virginia (Arnall) Moody
Lucille (Jordan) Wilkinson
Gladys (Lewis) McElveen
Berthine (Osborne) Whitehead
Roberta (Quillian) Stovall
Cora (Stanley) Mathis
Minnie (Van Valkenburg) Holt
1928
Marian (Arnall) Roberts

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Lucile (Farmer) Roberts
Anne (Hoyle) Upchurch
Kathryn Lawton
Anna Brown (Small) Paden
Eva (Sutton) Britton

julia (Thompson) Camp
1929
Bessie Will (Elrod) Unger
Helen Kate (Forrester) Perry
Elizabeth B. Jones
Nancy Stewart

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Minnie Lee (Herrington) Varner Josephine (Humphreys) Jones

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Helen (Ross) Dennis
Elizabeth (Scott) Hagan
Lucie (Thaxton) Wright
1931
Elizabeth (Anderson) Belcher
Julia (Bell) Pierce
Martha Cooper
Martha (McCowen) Burnet
Elizabeth McNutt
Elizabeth (Woodward) Bradley
1932
Mary (McCord) Walthall
Gladys (Meeks) Vindal
Louise (Pittman) Peabody
Ruth (Ray) Gleaton
1933
Eunice (Brinson) Turner

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1933
Eunice (Brinson) Turner
Margaret (Budd) Stephenson
Margaret (Cantrell) Isaacs
Agnes (Highsmith) Ware
Frances (Justi) Best
Suelle (McKellar) Swartz
Evelyn (Thaxton) Thrasher
Elrich Watson
1934
Frances (Cook) Sanders
Louise (Johnson) Burks
Mary Gray (Munroe) Cobey
1935
Eleanor (Anthony) Solomon
Banks Armand

Banks Armand
Mary Dozier
Thalia (Johnson) Gooch
Mary Elizabeth Venable

1936 Margaret (Harrell) Miller Roberta (Ingle) Jolly Mary Ruth (Johnson) McNeill Rose (Pendergrass) Hillyer

Sarah Hammons Katherine (Kilpatrick) Lamar Sara (Martin) Winn Helene (Ouzts) Dupree Harriet (Wright) Sutton

Elaine (Goodson) Osteen Ruth (Menges) Struble 1939 Martha (Graddy) Pitts

1940
Catherine Collins
Lee (Rees) Buttram
Marjorie Standifer
Ida (Stephens) Williams

1941 Emily (Cottingham) Stuart Ida Long Rogers Dorothy (Steiger) Fischer Martha (Aiken) Pendergrast Martha (Rodgers) Hudson Miriam (Rudesal) Smith Margaret (Smith) Carruth Louie Frances Woodward (M.D.)

1943

Mary (Anderson) Comer Lucia (Evans) Rheinfrank Buff Kenner Sybil (Sutherland) Gibson Sarah Ann White

Jo Banks McKay Irene (Pound) Peden Dotte (Smith) Mahon

1945

Helene (Andrews) Arrington Winifred (Bosch) Titterton Miriam (Chylinski) Lykke Lois (Goldman) Cowan Elizabeth (Jones) Rutland Jane Jordan Sarah (Riggins) Clary Frances (Rushton) Dollar 1946
Virginia (Ball) Loveless
Dorothy Belle Barge
Mary Louise Davis
Joy Lawless
Susan (Lott) Clark
Louise (Pate) Skene
1947
Peggy (Derby) Chaplin
Georgann (Dessau) Blum
Patricia (McVey) Erlandson
Frances (Oehmig) Collins
Betty Thompson
Eleanor (Thompson) Hardin
1948
Elizabeth Elyea
Rhett (Jenkins) Smith
Doris (McKinney) Seaman
Polly Phelps
Elizabeth (Walker) Bowers
1949

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Elizabeth (Walker) Bowers
1949
Julia Carreker
Louise Futrelle
1950
Giovanna Corsini
1951
Jane Schmidt

Number of alumnae contributors to April 1, 1950 .....

Total amount given to 277 April 1, 1950

.....\$2,385.00

Total this fiscal year

\$4,533.50

Total number of contributors

489

## Recent Alumnae Publications

The LOST LAMP. The Story of a Preacher Who Found His Way. By Sara Jenkins. 244 pp. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell Company. \$3.

The career of Sara Jenkins, novelist, is a college ambition being fulfilled pleasantly. Members of the class of 1926, who knew her "in the days when," are not surprised to see her second novel come off the press hard on the heels of the first, with a third book in the offing.

Teaching journalism in high school, managing a student paper, and directing an annual would leave most people breathless. Not Sara. She calmly takes on night classes as well. A published account of her evening classes in an Americanization school includes several interesting experiences, among them two proposals of marriage. At present Sara is on Sabbatical leave from Miami. She and her mother spent the fall in Mexico, visiting Gaudalajara, her birthplace, and staying for some time in Oaxaca, where for \$1.25 a day they enjoyed a big, sunny room, a private bath "with temperamental plumbing," maid service, and three meals a day. There Sara wrote her third novel.

This second novel, **Lost Lamp**, is better than the first. It strikes home to the heart. Reminiscent of Corra Harris without her bitterness and of Taylor Caldwell without her grandiloquence, the book presents real people and makes the reader concerned with their welfare. Stylistically, it is repetitious. Three of four sentences

in a paragraph, for example, begin with the pronoun "she." Yet, despite a few obvious and preventable defects, the novel has much to offer. Dr. Daniel A. Poling commends it for its "rich Penrod quality," although its child characters hardly rival the exploits of Penrod and Willie Baxter.

If anybody is equipped to put life in a parsonage into fiction, Sara Jenkins is that person. Great-granddaughter of a circuit-rider, daughter of a clergyman, niece of five others, Sara knows a parsonage inside out. Before the reader finishes **Lost Lamp**, he feels perhaps that he does too.

The book has all the familiar nomenclature of Georgia Methodism in the days before a Presiding Elder became a District Superintendent. One of the preacher's sons is named for Bishop Candler, mighty giant of the Southern Methodist Church, and another one is called Wesley. A successful preacher is transferred from Wesley Monumental in Savannah to Mulberry Street in Macon. No doubt more would have been made of the pounding of the preacher in his new home if the infant Whitefield (That's a good name, too!) had not taken over a chapter or two to have convulsions.

But the Epworth League swings into action nobly. Earlier, there is a farewell reception when the author indulges in uproarious fun at the expense of staid and stuffy members of the congregation. A

leading sister, having bought unused punch at "less 'n half price," learns to her horror that the beverage is spiked. She is the same domineering do-gooder who has presented eight-year-old Hannah with a worn blue velvet dress, which the colored help contemptuously calls "rump-sprung." Yet so skilfully has the preacher's wife refashioned the garment that the donor murmurs regretfully, "H'm. I didn't know there was so much good material left in that old dress."

Little Hannah is the central character of the book. Much more real than her older brothers, she grins constantly a "misty, front-toothless grin" with "an appeal all its own." In fact, the tentative name of the book, according to the author, was Hannah Carried the Lamp. When the family are moving after Conference orders, the child literally carries the lamp, accidentally loses it, and, quite as accidentally yet figuratively, carries the lamp for two young lovers who have disagreed over life in the ministry. Just as unerringly and unconsciously she lights the way for her discouraged father. She explains to him what he needs, in addition to sincerity and educational background, to make his ministry a success.

Lovers of Wesleyan and of Georgia Methodism, to which Sara Jenkins, Floridian, really belongs, would welcome a continuation of this book. The fortunes of the Winfrees on the mend with an unselfish little girl in the lead would make an entertaining story. With Hannah to carry the lamp, the family might even wind up at Mulberry Street, in Macon.

—I.D.H.

**GOING TO JERUSALEM** by Willie Snow Ethridge. The Vanguard Press 313 pp. \$3.50.

(The following is from the women's page of The Macon Telegraph, and was written by Blythe McKay, '28, editor. Willie is a graduate of '20, and former Alumnae Trustee of Wesleyan. This is her sixth published book, and her college friends will note with pride that the jacket mentions Wesleyan as her Alma Mater, as did those on her other books.)

It simply couldn't be possible that enough time has lapsed since "It's Greek to Me" for Willie to have gone to Palestine to investigate the situation there and read a lot about to augment what she saw for herself and get home again and write a book and then have the Vanguard Press get it into print and release it this week! Couldn't be possible. But the book is out. And it is time again to remark once more that Willie's effervescence, her keen interest and curiosity about everything are as happily evident as ever.

As reviewers commented after the last book, she showed them a more serious vein than formerly, a greater depth as her subject matter itself widened. Deeply disturbed now over the Palestine situation, she imparts her own emotion and concern to the reader. But not only her emotion. She gives facts, which she dug out of treatise on the subject after her own interest was aroused.

Willie (Snow) Ethridge went to the Middle East in 1949 to join her husband, Mark Ethridge, United States representative on the United Nations.

"I was no more prepared for Jerusalem than I will be for heaven. And that goes too for Israel and Palestine and the other countries of the Middle East where I have just spent several months," she writes.

She went to Palestine a partisan of Zionist ideas and returned impressed by Zionist achievements but disturbed by the plight of Arab refugees, and convinced that there are two sides. When she left the Middle East she said: "I was not happy about it. I felt left in the middle of everything. I put down the problem with the ends still unknit. But how long would I have had to stay around to see it all wrapped up, tied, and addressed to a peaceful future?"

She admits she certainly hasn't the answer, but has learned a great deal. "Much too much for my peace of mind," she says. And there are times she wishes she hadn't gone, hadn't exposed herself to the painful facts of Palestine. "I feel as if a chair had been pulled from under me, as it used to be in that children's game, 'Going to Jerusalem.' My life will never move as complacently, as securely, as happily as it did before this journey."

She points out that peace is important to the Arabs and the Israelis, especially the latter, for it is necessary that Israel have many years of peace with the Arab neighbors to become an economically sound, stable state.

"Bluntly," she says, "the future of Israel is a very large question mark. The pioneer Jews and the Zionist leaders have made heart-breaking sacrifices to bring to life the Jewish Homeland; but whether the present leaders are wise enough to lead this infant into sturdy, healthy growth, only time will tell."

That's the way Willie wound up. She started out shocked by the Arab refugees, indignant for them, but the roommate, as she still calls her husband, warned her, "Don't let yourself get emotional. Try to maintain an even balance. The Arabs aren't lily white and neither are the Jews. It's a confused, complex situation, as you will find out." And she did.

She said, "I had once thought Greece

and the Balkans were Greek to Me. but they began to seem as simple as a firstgrade reader compared to Israel and Palestine." To learn the background she asked questions, read books and listened to the commission members.

HISTORY OF MACON, GEORGIA by Ida Young, Julius Gholson, and Clara Nell Hargrove, under the sponsorship of The Macon Woman's Club. From the Press of Lyon, Marshall and Brooks, Macon. 728 pages. \$10.00.

Last summer Ida Young A.B. '33 (whose main job is teaching English in Miller Junior High School in Macon, but who is of invaluable assistance as a part-time worker in the Alumnae Office afternoons and Saturdays), broke the news to the rest of the office staff that she had agreed to help with the writing of a history of Macon. It would mean a few weeks' loss of time from the office during the summer, she said: we would hardly notice it.

Source material for the book was mainly the files of the Macon newspapers through the years. Clara Nell Hargrove, A.B. '29, teacher of history at Miller Junior High, and Julius Gholson, teacher at Lanier High for Boys in Macon, were the two other writers.

It is a wonder I can find a good word to say about the book! The weeks stretched into months, as you can well believe, and we did not see a hair of Ida's head or have an hour's help from her on the alumnae files she is accustomed to keep in shape for what seemed to us like years!

However, the book is out at last, and I am much impressed. It is most attractive in format; looks much like a volume of the Encyclopaedia Brittanica. It is attractively illustrated, and carefully assembled, and will be of tremendous value to historians and anyone interested in the history of this city, now grown to a "metropolis." It is the only history of Macon ever written except John C. Butler's Historical Record of Georgia, printed in 1879.

It is in eight chapters: Clara Nell wrote chapters I, II, and VI (Prehistoric, Macon's Origin, and Era of Transition); Ida wrote chapters III and VII (The First Two Decades and The Century Turns); Julius Gholson wrote chapters IV, V, and VIII (The Golden Age of Progress, War Between the States, Reconstruction, Recovery, and Macon Becomes a Metropolitan City.

Clara Nell and Martha (Orr) Hutcherson, A.B. '29, compiled the Index. Mary (Callaway) Jones, '98, wrote the biographical sketches of prominent Macon citizens with which the volume closes.

In the Preface acknowledgment is made of a number of Wesleyan alumnae who assisted the writers: Katharine P. Carnes, librarian at Wesleyan; Kathryn (McCamey) Powers, librarian of the Washington Memorial Library in Macon; Viola (Ross) Napier, city clerk; Anna (Weaver) Lee, Rosalie (Mallary) Willingham, Freda (Schofield) Tutt, Lois (Bennett) Davis, Mary Bond Smith, Elizabeth (Thwaite) Jones, Fay (Lockhart) Cowan, and Ruby Tanner (teacher of science at Miller Junior High School for Girls).

In the biographical sketches are pictures and biographies of the late Edith (Stetson) Coleman, A.B. '97; of the late Ruby (Jones) Grace, A.B. '91; of Dorothy (Blount) Lamar, A.B. '83, and of Mary (Callaway) Jones, '98.

Also in this section are sketches and photographs of many benefactors and trustees of the college: the late James Hyde Porter, the late Robert Jenks Taylor, the late Orville A. Park, the late Isaac Hardeman; Dr. Edmund F. Cook, Thomas J. Stewart. Nearly all of the Macon citizens mentioned are closely associated with Wesleyan by ties of blood or marriage.

-E.T.

## Students Hear Christian Leaders

Wesleyan students had the rare privilege of hearing within one week in March three of the greatest Christian leaders of the world, Dr. E. Stanley Jones and Dr. and Mrs. Sherwood Eddy.

Dr. Jones, author of many books of an inspirational nature, for many years a missionary in India, world traveler and evangelist, was conducting a series of meetings in the Griffin Methodist Church, where Wesleyan students went on several occasions to hear him. On March 2 he spoke in chapel on the Rivoli campus on "God's Plan for Your Life."

On March 3 Dr. Sherwood Eddy, author, lecturer, and Y.M.C.A. executive, one of the great leaders in the Christian work of China, spoke to a group of students on the political situation of the Asiatic countries. On the following morning Mrs. Eddy, herself a holder of the Ph.D. degree, and for some years genreal secretary of the national Y.W.C.A. spoke on the contributions women of Asia have made to the world.

Mrs. Eddy, who is president of her Alumnae Association of MacMurray College, visited the Wesleyan Alumnae Office to talk over the work.

## A New Painting for The Campbell Collection

Helena Eastman (Ogden) Campbell, the Wesleyan alumna who initiated the idea of the collection of contemporary paintings and pieces of sculpture which now numbers more than 100 titles has herself sent a painting to the collection!

"Chrysanthemums and Grapes," a beautiful oil in rich shades of yellow, brown, and rust, is given to Wesleyan in memory of the artist's sister, Susie Ogden, of the Wesleyan class of 1903, whose death occurred last summer. The artist chose this picture as her contribution to the collection particularly because Susie liked it.

When the painting was shown at the Barbizon Little Gallery in New York recently the Art Digest said of it:

"Verve and animation mark the show of oils by H. E. Ogden Campbell at the Barbizon. The flower still lifes are fresh in color and brushwork. Color is harmonious in the tans and browns of a large portrait of Mrs. Campbell's daughter which dominates the exhibition walls. The large Chrysanthemums and Grapes, as well as a composition of red roses against a soft green background, are especially creditable canvases."

One of New York's most outstanding portrait painters, Mrs. Campbell is a native of Eastman, Georgia (which received its name from her family) and studied, not only at Wesleyan, but also under Lucien Simon in Paris, and Robert Henri and William M. Chase in New York. She has exhibited in New York on many occasions, and has won recognition in "Who's Who in Art," "American Women," "Women of Achievement," and "Who's Who in New York."

Wesleyan has on her walls one of Mrs. Campbell's portraits, that of former president William F. Quillian, but the painting she has given in memory of her sister is the first gift of her own work that she has made to the Campbell Collection!

Miss Maria Bizzoni of the modern language department, who will go to Italy for a study of existentialism in contemporary Italian literature.

Miss Frances Candler of the history department, who will continue her study of the life of Filipe Carillo Puerto, leader of an indigenous movement for social reform in Yucatan, Mexico.

Dr. James Cox of the chemistry department, who will make a synthesis and rearrangement of highly branched alcohols obtained from petroleum derivatives. He will make the study in Macon.

Miss Ruby Lafferty of the Latin department, who will go to Italy for a study of the use of art for propaganda in the early Roman empire.

Dr. Florence Janson Sherriff of the history department, who will study in the libraries of Denmark, Sweden and Norway in order to write chapters in a European history book to be published by members of the history department of the University of Pennsylvania. In 1948 Dr. Sherriff had a Carnegie grant for research in Chinese cultural history.

# Carnegie Grants for Wesleyan Teachers

Twelve Wesleyan teachers have received grants for summer study from the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

This is the fourth year that Wesleyan has participated in the program which provides grants for independent research. Under the plan, the teacher submits to the Foundation an outline of work which he feels would improve the quality of his teaching. This may not include study for graduate degrees. If the Foundation approves the request, a certain sum of money, varying in amount according to the project, is granted. This amount is supplemented by the college. The teachers to benefit from the grants this year are:

Gerhard Bosch of the art department, who will make a practical study of recent work and methods of foreign factories and artisans of ceramic figurines and art ware. He will visit factories in England, France, and Denmark. In 1947 he had a Carnegie grant to study leadless glazes and the clays and kaolin of Bibb County.

Sherwood Hall of the music department, who will study in New York and Chicago, making a survey of contrapuntal

harmonic technique of twentieth century American music.

John Hruby of the department of speech, who will do research in women's fashions of the twentieth century in France and England.

H. A. Losson of the music department, who will continue research with the Scorescope, a machine which he built with the Carnegie grant-in-aid last year.

Elwood Roeder of the music department, whose project is a search for possible intermediate steps between the use of the major mode in composition and the use of its counterparts in contemporary music. He will study at Eastman School of Music and at Yale.

Fred Scudder of the art department, who will study the application of the principle of modern design to tapestry. He will study in France.

Carl Bennett of the English department, whose work will be on the influences of mysticism upon the works of several 19th century American writers. He received a Carnegie grant-in-aid in 1947, when he studied the literary development of Booth Tarkington.

## Wesleyan Glee Club Makes Annual Tour

The Wesleyan Glee Club, which has made a name for itself throughout the South, was on tour from March 18-22, singing in Georgia and South Carolina.

The Glee Club is under the direction of Vladimir Zorin, one time a member of the world-famous Don Cossack Chorus, and praised as a choral conductor by such judges as Serge Koussevitsky, conductor of the Boston Symphony, and Olin Downes, of the New York Times.

Students of both liberal arts and conservatory campuses compose the Glee Club, with eleven states represented. Sixty of the one hundred and forty members of the Glee Club made the tour, which included these places: Veterans' Hospital, Dublin; Claxton, Savannah, Orangeburg, S. C.; Valhalla, S. C.; Columbus, Ga., and Marietta, Ga. The club sang in Macon in January in a joint concert with the Cossacks.

Alumnae helped with the housing and also with the publicity and sale of tickets in many places where the Glee Club appeared.

Soloists for the Glee Club are Allene Hall of Brunswick, Mary Gene Baldwin of West Palm Beach. Claire Michaels of West Palm Beach is solo violinist.

# Drama Department Presents 'Family Portrait,' On Tour

The speech department of Wesleyan School of Fine Arts presented "Family Portrait" on tour beginning March 17 and including performances in Macon, Thomaston, Augusta, Cordele, Moultrie, Atlanta, Ft. Valley, and Eufaula, Ala.

"Family Portrait" is a deeply human portrayal of Jesus' family and the characters in the four gospels of the New Testament. It opens in Nazareth, moves to Capernaum, Jerusalem, and returns to Nazareth after the death of Jesus. Our Lord Himself never appears in person; we know of what He is doing through the words of His family and friends.

The play is under the direction of Miss Ruth Jean Simonson, head of the department, and Maynard R. Samsen, technical director, who is head of the Rabbit Run Theatre in Madison, Ohio, during the summers. Mrs. John Sharp and John Hruby are in charge of costuming.

Over forty costumes based on original designs by John Hruby were used. All costumes were made by the students of the department under faculty supervision. The enthusiasm and interest of the students were shown by the work and time they put into making the costumes. Flowing gowns in jewel-like tones were worn by the feminine characters, peasant-type costumes by the men. Colors varied with the moods of the play, changing with the dramatic intensity.

All sets used in the play were constructed by the students who doubled as stage hands, carpenters, and electricians when they were not acting.

## Alpha Delta Pi Scholarship Open

Applications for the Alpha Delta Pi Scholarship to Wesleyan College should be sent to Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Stanislaus Circle, Macon, Georgia, before July 1.

The scholarship of \$250.00 is granted annually by the Grand Council of Alpha Delta Pi to some student who is "daughter, granddaughter, or great-granddaughter or some relation to a member of the society." The award must in every instance be confirmed by the Grand Council.

## Men's Chapter of The Wesleyan Alumnae Association

This spring there was organized the first Men's Chapter of The Wesleyan Alumnae Association, its membership made up of the men who have attended Wesleyan Conservatory. Roy Domingos, B.M. 1937, was elected president at a dinner held at the Sidney Lanier Cottage in Macon.

For many years the only Wesleyan "alumnus" was Robert L. Walker, who received the B.M. degree in 1899, and recently retired after teaching music for 50 years in Macon. Today there are nearly 50 "alumni" of the Conservatory, as well as a number of men students in music, radio, speech, and art on the campus.

The little boy who is pictured here is ths son of Frances (Collins) Huthnance and Ed Huthnance, alumna and alumnus of Wesleyan.



Dennis Huthnance, mascot of the Men's Alumni Chapter, whose mother and father both attended Wesleyan Conservatory.

## Alumnae Scholarships for Wesleyan Girls

Through the generosity of alumnae or through funds given in memory of alumnae last year, 54 Wesleyan students this year have scholarships or grants-in-aid on their college expenses. The money for this purpose was in addition to nearly \$100,000 given for the Second Century Fund, and a gift of \$3,000 for the library at the Conservatory.

The Macon Club Scholarships (four scholarships of \$125 each, given by the Macon Alumnae) were awarded to: Ouida Mize, Jean Farrar, Jean Edwards, and Lois Lochlin.

The Dickerson Moore Scholarships (totaling \$500, given by Marion (Cook) Murphey and her husband in memory of her grandfather, the Rev. Dickerson Moore), went this year to Lillian Gong of Miami, Fla., and Martha Beilman of Gainesville, Fla.

The Zeta Tau Alpha Endowed Scholarship Fund, given during the past several years by the members of this sorority who are Wesleyan alumnae, reached a sufficient amount to provide an income of \$100 for a scholarship this year. It was awarded by a committee of the organization of Clio Carmichael, a senior, who is the daughter of Robertine (Belcher) Carmichael, A.B. '25.

The Atlanta Club Scholarship, given by the alumnae of Atlanta, was given to Kathryn Jones of this city.

The Pauline Logan Findlay Scholarships, provided for in the will of Margaret McEvoy in memory of her friend, were awarded to Betty Wade and Jean Talbot.

The Thomas J. Stewart Scholarship of full tuition, given by Octavia (Burden) Stewart, is held by Alice Ann Hamilton of Macon.

The Linda McKinney Anderson Scholarship of \$200, given by Jennie (Loyall) Anderson in memory of this alumna, was given to Gary Still of Atlanta.

The Olive DeFoor Brittain Scholarship, given by this alumna, was awarded to Marjorie Gray of Jacksonville, conservatory student.

The Robert A. Bowen Scholarships, totaling \$575.00, given by Lottie (Felder) Bowen and her husband, was given to Jane Schofield of Fernandina, Fla., and to Anne Dodd of Macon.

The Ruth Benedict Watson Scholarship, given by this alumna for the sixth consecutive year, is held by Betty Jean Williams of Macon.

The Phi Delta Phi Scholarship, given by members of the organization at Wesleyan which honors scholarship, was given this year for the eleventh time, Betty Neylans of Macon holds the scholarship.

Three scholarships given by Annie (Turner) Hightower of the class of 1909, are:

The Eling Soong Kung Scholarship, held by Lucia Hutchinson of Smyrna, Ga.:

The Maria Weaver Burks Scholarship, held by Merrilyn Welch of Marietta, Ga.;

The Leon Perdue Smith Scholarship, held by Martha Walker of Summerville, Ga.

The Lucy Candler Leide Scholarship, given by this alumna, is held this year by Betty Rose Mason of Savannah, conservatory student.

The Rosalie Tarver Wade Scholarship, given by this alumna, was awarded to Lydia Higginbotham of Graymont, Ga., conservatory student.

The Eloise Ainsworth Scholarship, given by Hattie (Saussy) Saussy in memory of Eloise Ainsworth, was given to Annette Horne of Savannah, conservatory student.

The Loula Evans Jones Endowed Scholarship Fund, given in memory of this alumna by her husband of Newnan, Ga., provided substantial scholarships for two students from Newnan, Jackie Spradlin and Joyce Reid.

The Wimberly-Matthews-Rhodes Endowed Scholarship Fund, given by the late Mary (Mathews) Rhodes during her lifetime in memory of her parents and her son, provided a scholarship for Irma Rigby of Naples, Fla.

The Maria Weaver Burks Endowed Scholarship Fund, given by Eling (Soong) Kung, provided a scholarship for Felicia Lee, Chinese student of Larchmont, N. J. The William F. Quillian Endowed Scholarship Fund, initiated by students in 1925 for upperclassmen, provided scholarships for Anne Dodd of Macon and Graziella Carlier of France.

The Marion Luse and William E. Chenery Endowed Scholarship Fund, given by this alumna and her husband, provided scholarships for fourteen conservatory students, the amounts varying from \$100 to \$595.00 according to the individual student's needs. The students benefiting this year from these scholarships are: Rebecca Dodd, Commerce: Verle Miller, Albany; Billie Dunlap, Portsmouth, Va.; Miriam Goodwin, Marietta; Allene Hall, Brunswick; Kathleen Harper, Thomasville; Annette Horne, Savannah; Ruth Kohnhorst, Caledonia, Wis.; Sarah Louise Lawhorn, Rockmart; Evelyn Le-Roy, Tignall; Nancy Lou Marks, Jacksonville; Betty Rose Mason, Savannah; Claire Michaels, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Mary Ann Fitzgerald, Henderson, Ky.

The Edith Stetson Coleman Scholarship, given from the proceeds of the sale of Macon Cookbooks which this alumna had reprinted during the Centennial year, was awarded to Allene Hall of Bruns-wick.

The Edith Stetson Coleman Scholarship, given in memory of this alumna by her daughter, Eugenia (Coleman) Wasden, A.B. '31, was given to Frances Girardeau of Atlanta.

The Alpha Delta Pi Scholarship, given by the Grand Council of this organization, is held by Mary Radcliff Munroe of Quincy, Fla.

Two Phi Mu Scholarships, given by the Grand Council of this organization, were awarded to Elinor Smith of College Park, Md., and Elizabeth Barber of Orlando, Fla.

From the general Alumnae Loyalty Fund grants-in-aid of varying amounts according to individual need were given to the following students this year, in addition to the named scholarships above:

Andromache Komlosy, Betty Rose Mason, Virginia Claire Richardson, Anne Dodd, Elizabeth Barber, Mary Eva Bryan, Donna Jean Newcomer, Irma Rigby, Rosalee Tolle, Ann Clark, Frances Girardeau, Kathryn Jones, Jackie McDaniel, and Patsy Echols.

## "Dormitory Day" Revived

Wesleyan this year revived "Dormitory Day," which was discontinued during the war years, and invited high school students from all over the south to spend a day and night on the campuses of the college and conservatory. More than a hundred high school seniors accepted, and many of these competed for scholarships.

At the liberal arts college scholarships totaling \$4,500 were awarded, beginning with a \$1,000 scholarship for the first place. These were won by:

Martha Jean Offutt,
Hay Long High School,
Mt. Pleasant, Tenn.
Gloria Anna Brown,
Chattanooga High School,
Chattanooga, Tenn.
Martha Jean Laslie,
Quincy High School,
Quincy, Florida
Mary Jane Webb,
Andrew Jackson High School,
Jacksonville, Florida
Beth Hatcher,
Ft. Valley High School,
Ft. Valley, Ga.

Nancy Alice Williams, Sebring High School, Sebring, Florida

At the conservatory, scholarships of \$300 each were awarded to two contestants in each of these fields:

#### Piano

Jack Hooten, Macon, Georgia Lundie Lenoir, Lenoir, N. C.

#### Speech

Marie Goodwin, Macon, Ga. Mary Neuman, Fitzgerald, Ga.

#### Art

Anne Sonderquist, Jacksonville, Fla. Joyce Hall, Jacksonville, Fla.

#### Voice

Martha Hindman, Anderson, S. C. Dixie Alvarez, Jacksonville, Fla.

## CLUBS

## Atlanta Club Group Visits Wesleyan

Members of Atlanta Alumnae Group III with "Tibba" (Baker) Talyor as leader, came to Wesleyan on April 4 for a spend-the-day party, arriving about 11:00 A.M., having lunch at Rivoli and seeing the liberal arts campus, and then going to the conservatory for a trip around that campus.

Some of the group had not been on the new campus, among these Nancy (Dover) Cheves of 1916, who has recently moved to Atlanta from Colorado. The others in the party were: Lillian (Cox) Girardeau (whose daughter, Frances, is a junior); Ollie (Williams) Jones; Ethel (Dobbs) Cameron, Ollie (Barmore) Kincaid, Mary Alice (Robins) McCord; Sara (Noyes) Callaway, Sara Will (Ray) Ray, Llewellyn (King) Daniel, Nannaline (King) Byrd, Martha (Ryder) Barnwell, and Julia (Osborne) Withers (whose daughter, Julie, is a freshman).

One of the things the group enjoyed particularly was an exhibit of the fans which Lila May Chapman, A.B. '90, gave to the Wesleyan library recently. Katharine Carnes, librarian, and her assistants, Sara Lamon and Margaret Hatcher, showed the fans to the Atlanta alumnae, who showed their appreciation by sending to the library some money for shadow boxes to display the fans.

#### COLUMBUS CLUB

The Columbus Club had as its special guest in February Rebekah (Oliphant) Anthony, A.B. '23, of Macon, formerly of Columbus, who gave a review of Peter Marshall's book, "Mr. Jones, Meet the Master." The meeting was in the form of a tea at the home of Minnie (Smith) Faber. Mae (Eason) Hall '46, introduced the speaker.

"Becky" is the wife of the Kev. Mack Anthony, formerly pastor of St. Luke Church in Columbus, and now at Vineville Methodist Church in Macon, where a new educational building is in the process of construction.

#### NEWNAN-GRANTVILLE CLUB

The Newnan-Grantville Alumnae Club was reactivated on March 29 at the home of Virginia (Banks) St. John with 25 members present.

Sally Bowen, A.B. '28, was elected president of the club; Virginia (Arnall) Moody, A.B. '27, vice-president; and Lel (Quillian) Freeman, A.B. '23, secretary and treasurer.

Among the alumnae present was Itura (Moreland) Leigh of the class of 1884, the first voluntary life-time contributor to the Wesleyan Alumnae Loyalty Fund. Sarah (Culpepper) Cutts, A.B. '25, and Clay (Culpepper) Doughtie, A.B. '28,

were visitors from Greenville, Ga.
Virginia (Banks) St. John is national vice-president of the Alumnae Association, in charge of alumnae clubs.



Rebekah (Oliphant) Anthony, Minnie (Smith) Faber, Anna (Quillian) Janes (President), at a meeting of the Columbus Club.

#### TEXAS CLUB

When the alumnae of Texas met, Katherine (Hudson) Herrington, '33; Annette (Emerson) Loyt '47; Frances (Stephens) Robbins '42; and Lillian (Mann) Jauquet '41, were present. Myra (Palin) Lagerquist '21, had planned to come, but was unable to get there because of illness. Word was received from Nancy (Winchester) Atkins '96, who regretted that she could not be present.

The president wonders if we have the wrong addresses for these who did not send word, and asks that they contact her at this address: Mrs. R. Q. Jauquet, 728 Donaldson, Beach Hill Station, San Antonio 1, Texas; Jean (Gibbons) Cowden '46; June (Beasley) Johnson, '46; Nan (Edwards) Allen, '46; Mary Ruth (Senter) Coleman, '31; Phyllis (Buttery) Morese, '45; and Frances (Longino) Sigerfoos, '37. Recently moved to Texas is Ida (Stephens) Williams, '40, who will join the club.

#### WASHINGTON, D. C. CLUB

The alumnae club of Washington, D. C., met in December at the Burlington Hotel with the Hon. Robert Ramspeck and his wife as guests. He spoke on "Aviation and World Peace," and she gave greetings and a welcome to the meetings of the Georgia State Society.

New officers of the Washington club, elected at this meeting, are: president, Louise (Rainey) Price, '27; vice-president, Mary Gray (Munroe) Cobey, '34; secretary, Annette (Richardson) Chappell; treasurer, Agnes Leverette, '02; program chairman, Martha Arminda (Lewis) Chandler, '40; telephone chairman, Odille (Dasher) Phelts, '30; corresponding secretary, Carol Arnold, '25.

## Former Teacher Dies

Weslevan received the sad news recently of the death on March 2 in Winnetka, Illinois, of Dr. Dorothy Culp, who was assistant professor of history at Wesleyan in 1941-42. After leaving Wesleyan, Dr. Culp went to the University of Connecticut, where she has been on the faculty for the past seven years. Last November she suffered a cerebral hemorrhage, but was thought to be recovering when a fall on the ice at her home caused her death. The University of Connecticut, at Storrs, Conn., is setting up a Memorial Scholarship Fund in her honor and Dr. Culp's Wesleyan students who wish to participate in this memorial are asked to send checks, made out to The Dorothy Culp Scholarship Fund, to Dr. Edmund A. Moore, chairman of the history department of the university.

## WEDDINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Arant - Rice

Louise Arant, 1950, to Marion Hobson Rice of Powder Springs and Atlanta, wedding to take place June 5.

#### Barker - Vincent

Gloria Barker, 1949, to Frank Brooks Vincent, Jr., of Atlanta and Spartanburg, S. C., May 20.

#### Bell - Schulte

Jane Bell, 1940, to William Frederick Schulte of New York City and Hong Kong, China, March 26.

#### Chambers - Reese

Mary Chambers, A.B. 1948, to William O'Conner Reese, Jr., of Atlanta, April 30.

#### Crowell - Fuller

Catherine Crowell, 1947, to Manley Kearns Fuller, April 9.

#### Durden - Toole

Virginia Durden, Conservatory 1948, to Marcus Toole of Esto, Florida, March 12.

#### Gibson - Phelps

Carolyn Gibson, A.B. 1930, to James McLeod Phelps of Albany, March 17.

#### Goodwin - Pittard

Miriam Goodwin, Conservatory senior, to Marion Donald Pittard of Atlanta, June 10.

#### Green - Fraley

Sara Green, A.B. 1945, to James Mc-Auley Fraley of Statesville, N. C., February 5.

#### Harris - Corse

Sara Harris, 1949, to Dr. Herbert Lucien Corse of Jacksonville, Fla., wedding to take place in June.

#### Hartley - Hogan

Kitty Hartley, 1952, to James Knight Hogan, Jr., of Macon, February 14.

#### Hogan - Cook

Bettijo Hogan, B.F.A. 1948, to Rodney Mims Cook of Atlanta and Worcester, Mass., April 15.

#### Hopkins - Lochridge

Betsy Hopkins, A.B. 1949, to Marshall Armstrong Lochridge of Atlanta, March 18.

#### McCowen - Seifert

Jane McCowen, A.B. 1948, to John Fowler Seifert of Atlanta, marriage to take place in July.

#### McDougall - Woodson

Mary Alice McDougall, A.B. 1947, to Dr. Grattan Crowe Woodson, Jr., of Middlesborough, Ky., and Atlanta, engagement announced in March.

#### McMath - Roy

Anne McMath, B.F.A. 1949, to Eugene H. Roy of Norfolk, Va., and Americus, Ga., in June.

#### McNeely - Bumbarger

Betty Lou McNeely, 1946, to Thomas Vance Bumbarger of Hickory, N. C., April 22.

#### Mackay - Asbury

Betty Mackay, A.B. 1949, to Frank L. Asbury III of Rockingham, Ala., April

#### Miller - Ripley

Virginia ("Gini") Miller, 1951, to Lt. Allen Weeks Ripley III of Atlanta and Langley Field, Va., March 6.

#### Olsen - Kimsey

Thora Olsen, Conservatory 1951, to Charles Dexter Kimsey of Atlanta and Albany in the spring.

#### Rousseau - Tillery

Renee Rousseau, B.F.A. 1949, to Homer Washington Tillery, Jr., of Macon in April.

#### Sell - McCormick

Mary Jean Sell, 1950, to Jon Theins

McCormick of Brooklet and Augusta, in March.

#### West - Hinman

Camilla West, A.B. 1948, to Lt. Ralph Moe Hinman of Atlanta and Camp Campbell, Ky., March 25.

#### Williams - Burt

Mary Jim Williams, 1952, to John Elmo Burt of Griffin in the spring.

#### IN MEMORIAM

Eugenia (Munnerlyn) Etheridge, 1878

Minnie (Harwell) Krauss, 1884 Mary Carr (Gibson) Comer, 1891 Loulie (Link) Cason, 1892 Marian (Bonnell) Clifton, 1894 Eva (Gantt) Lane, 1900 Mattie (Adams) Buchanan, 1908

### CLASS NOTES

The class of '89 will be grieved to learn of the death of Gertrude (Harris) Brown in September, 1949, after an illness of several years. The news comes from her daughter, Susie P. Brown, '14, who says her mother never lost interest in the news from Wesleyan.

#### 1890

When Maggie (Bell) Burdick received the Loyalty Fund Valentine from Wesleyan she sent in this clever verse:

#### 1878

Eugenia (Munnerlyn) Etheridge of Macon died at her home on Orange Street March 4 after a long illness. She survived her husband, Dr. James Allen Etheridge, and all of her children who were: Mrs. Rietta Callaway, wife of Merrel Price Callaway; Dr. James Allen Etheridge, Jr., and Fletcher Hansen Etheridge. Sympathy is extended to her granddaughter, Eugenia (Etheridge) Falk of Charlottesville, Va., of the Wesleyan class of 1945.

#### 1883

A gift came to the Loyalty Fund in memory of Sallie (Jennings) Kendall, who died February, 1944, from her daughter, Mrs. L. Y. Dean of Eufaula, Ala.

#### 1884

The class of '84 will regret to learn of the death of Minnie (Harwell) Krauss on February 2. She was the widow of Judge D. W. Krauss, and was for many years a teacher in the Sunday School of the First Methodist Church in Brunswick. Sympathy is extended to her step-daughter, Dorothy (Krauss) Strong, '19.

#### 1886

Grace (Mann) Bell, after serving a number of years as secretary to Governor Jennings of Florida, is now selling real estate in Neptune Beach, Fla. She has one son, three daughters, and seven grandchildren, two of the granddaughters planning to come to Wesleyan.

#### 1888

Mamie (Haygood) Ardis celebrated her 82nd birthday recently, and there were several musical numbers by members of this very musical family.

Carrie Speer writes in February that she is recovering from a serious illness.

#### 1889

"Yes, violets are blue
And roses are red;
I'm writing this note from a hospital bed.
If I could afford it
I'd send a donation,

But I'm spending my money for an eye operation!"

(A footnote to the page gave this encouraging news: "I am progressing nicely.")

Accompanying Nimqui (Williams) Smith's check for the fund also was a rhyme to match the one on the Valentines. (This was one of the classes, no doubt, whose members recall Professor Cosby Smith who often wrote his comments on themes in rhyme in the margins.)

#### 1891

The class of '91 learned with sorrow of the death of Mary Carr (Gibson) Comer last November. A letter from Sallie B. (Comer) Lathrop says that she had suffered long, and her going was a blessed release.

Martha (Huff) Jennings represented Wesleyan at a celebration at Woman's Medical College in Philadelphia, and presented greetings from the oldest college for women to the oldest college for women medical students!

Birt (Thomas) Park of Phoenix, Arizona writes that a new honor has recently come to her, that of "great-grandmother."

#### 1892

The class of '92 will be grieved to learn of the death of Loulie (Link) Cason on February 27 after a long illness. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Macon, and a loyal alumna of Wesleyan. Her mother was Francesca (Guttenberger) Link, A.B. '50, her grandfather Professor Philip Guttenberger of the Wesleyan faculty. Sympathy is extended to her sister, Rosa (Link) Forrester, A.B. '94, to her niece, Loulie (Forrester) Burns, A.B. '25, and to her greatniece, Claude Burns, who will be a senior at Wesleyan next year.

1894



This picture of Lucy (Keen) Johnson appeared in the Gainesville, Ga. Daily Times. Still an active supply teacher in the Gainesville schools, Lucy has held the following offices: president of the U.D.C., of the Phi Mu Alumnae, of the W.S.C.S. and the W.C.T.U. of the Azalea Garden Club, regent of the D.A.R. She is now president of the Gainesville Council of Church Women. In 1935 she was named "American Mother of the Year" by the Golden Rule Foundation. Wesleyan alumnae for many years will remember her, for she was on the college

staff for ten years during the 1920's when her daughter, the late Marion Dean (Johnson) Gilchrist, A.B. '30, was a high school girl and a Wesleyan student.

#### 1896

We have learned the sad news of the deaths of two members of this class. Sadie Tarbutton died in the summer of 1948, the news coming from her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. J. Tarbutton of Sandersville. Rosalie (Harris) Smith died March 1, 1949, writes her son, Willard P. Smith of Charleston, W. Va.

#### 1898

The class of '98 learned with sorrow of the recent death of Christine (Brown) Cobb after a long illness.

Lena (Heath) Jones sent a Philomathean Badge to Wesleyan to be placed in the Phi Mu Room at the Conservatory. Both Lena and her sister, Ada (Heath) Montgomery, 1896, used the pin, and it is given in both their names.

#### 1899

Sympathy is extended to Kate (Coleman) Willingham in the death of her husband, Alfred R. Willingham, prominent business man and deacon of the First Baptist Church, on March 12 after a three weeks illness. His two daughters are alumnae of Wesleyan also: Katherine (Willingham) Carmichael '26, and Josephine (Willingham) Crandall '31, and his daughter-in-law, Aline (West) Willingham '28.

Mr. Robert L. Walker, who was the first man graduate of Wesleyan, received the B.M. degree in this class. He has retired after teaching piano in Macon for 50 years, and lives, with his wife, at 1057 Inverness Avenue.

#### 1900

Wesleyan has learned with sorrow of the death on June 6, 1949, of Eva (Gantt) Lane. She left one son, Thomas Gantt Lane, and one grandchild, Margaret, of Atlanta.

#### 1902

Emmie Lela (Gramling) Perkinson's youngest granddaughter, Gayle Gramling FitzSimons, was born last March. Dr. Neil Gramling Perkinson, her son, is assistant resident at the Roosevelt Hospital in New York, after interning at Bellevue Hospital and serving two years in the U. S. Naval Medical Corps.

#### 1903

Mozelle (Harris) Jackson and her husband spent two delightful months last summer in France, Italy, Switzerland, Belgium, Holland, and England. Her daughter Mary (Jackson) St. John, A.B. '31, has an art studio in Cullman, Ala., her home, where the head of the art department of Birmingham-Southern teach-

es classes twice a week. Mary's sons are Finnis, Jr., studying at McCallie School in Chattanooga, and Warren. This summer Finnis will go to Europe with a group of boys, and Warren, with Clara (Jackson) Martin's son, Frank, Jr., will go to Camp Dixie.

Bessie (Houser) Nunn's youngest daughter, Bess, was named one of the senior "superlatives" at Wesleyan this year.

#### 1904

Tommie Louise (Turner) Craft has a son who is manager of the Calhoun Hotel in Anderson, S. C., and a daughter whose husband is with the American Embassy in Columbia, South America.

#### 1906

Sympathy is extended to Jane (Bardwell) Peeler in the death of her husband, A. M. Peeler, president of the Peeler Hardware Company of Macon. Two nieces, Lora (Solomon) McCord, A.B. '34, and her sister, Lina, made their home with the Peelers after their mother's death.

#### 1908 -

The class of '08 will be grieved to learn of the death of Mattie (Adams) Buchanan of Macon on March 27. Sympathy is extended to her husband, Clayton Buchanan, and to her sister, Mary Belle (Adams) Davis of the class of 1901. The two sisters were very close. Last summer when Mary Belle was very ill, Mattie stayed with her for some weeks in a hospital in Baltimore, and Mary Belle was with her sister in the Atlanta hospital where she was rushed several days before her death.

Loulie Barnett sent this news with her Loyalty Fund check: "I had a visit from Miss Ernestine Grote, former teacher of physical education at Wesleyan, her sister and brother-in-law, the Ellisons, and her niece, Elizabeth. They have bought a lovely new home on Lake Howard in Winter Haven and hope to live there permanently when Mr. Ellison retires."

Margaret F. Evans has been for most of the time since 1940 in a Veterans' Hospital in Bay Pines, Florida, but writes to a classmate of the happy memories she has of Wesleyan and of Emory, where she did graduate work.

#### 1909

Sympathy is extended to Louise (Davis) Davison in the death of her mother in February after a long illness.

Ruth (Pinkston) Norman has a new grandson, the son of her daughter, Lila Norman Fisher of Newnan.

#### 1910

Bessie (Cooper) Hopkins is a member of the English faculty of Mississippi Southern College in Hattiesburg. Sympathy is extended to Mary (Cheatham) Bucholz of St. Petersburg in the death of her brother, Walter L. Cheatham of Birmingham in February.

Mary (Hill) Brown lives in Savannah, and her sister, Parna B. Hill, of the class of 1899, makes her home with her. Mary's daughter, Nell, married and the mother of three children, lives in Leominster, Mass. Mary's son, Preston, was killed in the war. A younger son, Brian S., Jr., and her son-in-law came through unhurt. Brian's college education was delayed by his service in the navy, but he graduates from Tech in June.

Hazel (Hamilton) Rogers' daughter, Hazel, enjoys teaching on St. Simon's Island and living in Brunswick. Her son, Edward, and his wife, Dorothy, live now in Dallas, Texas, where he is head resident in obstetrics and gynecology at Baylor Hospital. They will return July 1 to Macon where he will practice medicine, specializing in these fields.

Sympathy is extended to Doris (Ricketson) Montgomery in the death of her eldest son, James Ricketson Montgomery of Warrenton, aged 35, on February 5 following a brief illness. He was an honor graduate of the University of Georgia in 1935, a member of Sigma Nu and of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. He was a lieutenant (s.g.) in the U. S. Naval Reserve, and served in the North Atlantic area. Besides his cotton business, he had extensive farming interests. He leaves his wife and two children, Robert Owen, 3½, and Virginia Ellen, 1½.

#### 1912

Petrona (Humber) Hean writes that her uncle, Col. Robert C. Humber, retired officer of the U. S. Infantry, died on January 17 and was buried in Arlington Cemetery.

Ves Parker has been quite ill within recent months, but recovered sufficiently to serve as Class Fund Agent for 1912.

#### 1913

"Tibba" (Baker) Taylor's son, Robert Jenks III, was married on March 18 to Theo Elliott of Monroe, N. C. Robert is a graduate of Tech, a member of the S.A.E. Fraternity. He served 3½ years with combat engineers during the war, two of these in France and Germany. He is now an executive of the American Surgical Company of Atlanta.

#### 1914

Sympathy is extended to Leuna (Baskin) Wood in the death of her father, president of the Bilco Manufacturing Company of Macon, in February.

#### 1916

Nell (Ethridge) Lawrence, as chairman of the fine arts committee of the Fernandina, Florida Woman's Club, put on a lovely pageant with musical background in December. Helping with the pageant were Mary (Luke) Oliver, '31; Betty (Waas) Davis, '46; and Suzanne (Davis) Hardee, '44. Nell has a new grandson, her second, Michael Etheridge Moore.

Althea Carr (Exley) Gnann is the proud grandmother of two boys, George William (her daughter's son), nine months, and Howard Benjamin (her son's), seven weeks old in February.

Sympathy is extended to Eloise (Greer) Rice in the death of her husband in November.

Minnie (Smith) Faber went to Auburn, Alabama in March to attend the weekend festivities of the Kappa Sigma fraternity's fiftieth anniversary when her niece, Louise Smith (a sophomore at Wesleyan) was the "Belle of the Ball." Her escort was Eugene Guazzo of Orange, N. J., president of the chapter, and they led the dance, which was followed by breakfast in Louise's honor at the chapter house, and other festivities.

#### 1917

Irene (Kilpatrick) Tanham's son, George Kilpatrick, teaches history at California Tech and is master of student houses. He has done all except his thesis for the Ph.D. Her daughter, Frances (Tanham) Speer, '46, lives near Augusta and has a little daughter, Irene, now 18 months old.

#### 1918

Mary Louise (Gramling) Braly, has been appointed executive secretary of the state commission for children in Tennessee. She will plan research and direct a program throughout the state for the mental and physical health of children.

Ruth (Houser) Garrett's son, William Lee, was married March 24 to Florence Love Mitchell of Ft. Smith, Ark. Ruth and her mother, Sara (Turner) Houser, '96, attended the ceremony.

Vail (Jones) Weems' first grandchild, Joseph Ross Macbeth, arrived on January 22. On that day also announcement was made of the engagement of Camilla Bartlett of Sebring, Fla., to Vail's son, Howard, Jr., graduate of Emory, with the M.S. degree from the University of Florida, now working on his Ph.D. from Ohio University.

Sympathy is extended to Lucy (Rossee) Webb of Eatonton in the death of her father, prominent Putnam County dairyman and businessman, in January.

#### 1919

Eddie Mae (Barrett) Spear was in Macon in March for a D.A.R. meeting, and visited the alumnae office. Her thirteen-year-old daughter, Frances, is making great plans to come to Wesleyan.

Mary (Jones) Broyles' son, Arthur, received the Ph.D. degree in theoretical nuclear physics at Yale last June, and is assistant professor of physics at the University of Florida. David, the youngest, will get the A.B. at the University of Chicago in June. Her daughter, Lucy (Broyles) Golson, A.B. '46, is living in New York,

#### 1920

Nell (Bates) Penland served as Class Fund Agent despite the fact that she has had a very busy time during the past three months nursing her husband after a heart attack. Their only son, John Erwin, Jr., was married in February, and graduated from Emory in March! He expects to do graduate work in biology.

Sympathy is extended to Eileen (Gallagher) Cater in the death of her mother in March. Mrs. Gallagher was making her home with Eileen in Miami.

Mary (Wesley) Carter's youngest child finishes junior college in Maxton, N. C., this year. Mary has three other chlidren, all married, her oldest daughter a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Woman's College in Greensboro, N. C.

#### 1922

Sympathy is extended to Louise (Tucker) Sewell in the death of her husband, Dr. M. E. Sewell of Lavonia, on October 13. Louise is now acting as secretary to her stepson, Dr. Robert Sewell, of Anderson, S. C.

Annie Laurie (Turner) Denmark's son will graduate from the University of Florida in June, and will continue work on his M.A. degree.

#### 1923

Mildred (Boulton) Rhoads is in Greece where her husband, formerly a professor of the University of Kentucky, is on a government mission. Mildred is teaching biology in the English School in Athens. Her stepdaughter, Louise, is in school in Switzerland, and two other children are in the state. Mildred and her husband will visit Turkey this spring.

"Jimmie" (Hester) Bailey and her husband of Savannah adopted a little daughter three years ago. The child is now four years old.

#### 1924

Anne (Douglas) Wallace of Madison was elected State Regent of the D.A.R. at their meeting in Macon in March. Other Wesleyan alumnae who were made state officers are: Bessie (Lester) Hart,

A.B. '31, consulting organizing secretary; and Jewel (Faver) Glass, 1910, of La-Grange, editor.

#### 1925

Neva (Barrow) Antley's, daughter June, was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges at Sophie Newcomb. Iris is a sophomore in high school, and a very enthusiastic, cheer-leading one. Neva says that Marilee (Hutchinson) Worth visited her last summer and they had a grand time together. Marilee is still teaching in Lake Wales, Fla.

Mary Louise Collings is "on loan" to the U. S. Army from the U. S. Department of Agriculture this year, and is in Japan helping in the organization and planning of women's work in the Extension Service.

The class of '25 will be grieved to learn of the death of Ona (Fain) Dixon of College Park on February 31. Her daughter, Jerry, is a student at Wesleyan this year.



Loulie (Forrester) Burns' daughter, Claude, who was recently made Chairman of Social Standards at Wesleyan.

Autrey (Lewis) Randall, who decided only this year to try the estate of matrimony, highly recommends it if you can find a husband as thoughtful and sweet as hers!

#### 1928

Induk Pahk is going home to Korea this summer to establish a school in memory of her daughter, Lotus, who died a year ago in February. Her daughter, Iris, now the mother of two-year-old Junie Lee (born on Robert E. Lee's birthday and named for the Southern hero) hopes to come to Wesleyan Conservatory in the fall. If she does, Induk and Iris will be the first Korean mother-daughter graduates of Wesleyan!

#### 1929

Marion Faircloth, manager buyer for

accessories in Hogan's Store in Savannah, was recently appointed to the Georgia Citizens' Council of 21 members.

#### 1931

Martha (McCowen) Burnet's son, Lining III, won first prize in an oratory contest in Charlotte, N. C., speaking on "The Republican Party and the Future." He is on his school debating team, business manager of the annual, president of the Key Club, member of the Student Council. He plans to go to Davidson and study law. Martha's daughter, Martha Ann, is 13, and Duncan, 6. Her husband is division manager of Burlington Mills.

Grace (Teasley) Sandlin of Anderson, S. C., has a second daughter, Mary Benson. (Her little Martha is two.) Grace writes that Tibba (Anderson) Belcher and her family have recently moved to Anderson from Danville, Va. Sam is connected with the Lowenstein chain of textile mills. Their children are Sam, Jr., ("Buck"), Robin, and Andy.

Sympathy is extended to Wilhelmina Thompson in the death of her father in January.

Elizabeth (Woodward) Bradley has moved from Bervard to Greensboro where her husband is now practicing medicine. She sees Essie (Davis) Taliaferro often since their husbands have offices in the same building.

#### 1932

Mary Ella Clements was appointed field secretary of the Bibb County Girl Scouts recently. Sympathy is extended to her in the death of her mother in February.

"Boggy" (Enochs) Jones of Jackson, Miss., was in Atlanta in the fall when her husband came to attend the Men's Garden Club convention of which he is an officer. Boggy has invited her classmate, Louise (Pittman) Peabody and her five little boys to visit her and her two little daughters at their cottage at Biloxi in the summer.

Sympathy is extended to Mae (Etheridge) Cassidy in the death of her father after a long illness.

Christine (Glausier) Tidmore, whose husband is a doctor in Dawson, Ga., writes: "I'm bringing up three future Wesleyannes, ages 14, 12, and 9. Lois (McDonald) Jorgensen has her third daughter, too. I see Marion (Gertman) Wynn often and her sixteen-year-old daughter, Clair, made the Atlanta swimming team and went to Cuba last fall. Clair and my Jan are the best of friends.

"I had a beautiful Christmas card from Clara (Jackson) Martin designed by Frank, Jr., her twelve-year-old. He won a prize in the Alabama State Fair with one of his water colors.

"Mary (Cotton) Smith of Columbus

has a baby girl, born last October."

Malene (Lee) Morgan enjoyed a visit to Roberta (Cason) Cox in January while on a trip to the Women's Patriotic Conference in Washington and enjoyed Roberta's children, Ellen Deane, now 11, and Albert (called "Spoofie"), 6. Malene and her husband have recently bought an old farm house and 33 acres of land seven miles from Newnan.

Louise (Pittman) Peabody writes: "I was never prouder of Wesleyan than last Friday night when I attended the Walton play, 'Family Portrait.' It was superb, and especially inspiring at Easter time. The Wesleyan players did a truly professional job. The fashion design department made a big hit, too, at the Druid Hills Club in February, and we are happy to see Wesleyan so marvelously up-to-date!"

#### 1933

Margaret (Budd) Stephenson's daughter, Sarah Callaway, who is nine, spent a night with her sister, Margaret, a Wesleyan freshman, in March. Sarah's account is so glowing that all of her fourth grade friends are green with envy!

Frances (Harris) Pittman, her husband and two children live in Oxford, N. C.

Suelle (McKellar) Swartz and her husband took a Florida vacation in January, leaving two children with grandfather Swartz in Roanoke and two with grandparents McKellar in Macon. They saw Martha (Munro) Lightner, A.B. '29, and her husband and two daughters in Tampa, Helen (McGrew) Fortney, A.B. '33, and her Margaret and Bill in Thomasville. Then they visited Suelle's aunt, Dr. Ella Clare McKellar, A.B., '07, in Tifton where they had grapefruit right off a tree in her garden! They stopped a while with Suelle's grandmother, Susie Adele (Berry) McCrory, A.B. '85, in Ellaville, and with her mother and father, Annabelle (McCrory) McKellar, '10, and former professor of Wesleyan, Idus E. McKellar, in Macon.

Frances (Justi) Best writes that she has already had one answer to her Valentine note, from Carolyn Roth who is traveling for the state of Florida Health Laboratory. She plans to start soon on her master's.

#### 1934

Rietta (Bailey) Howard's play, "Washed in De Blood" is one of nine folk plays included in a book of folk plays of many nations, published by the University of North Carolina Press.

Sympathy is extended to Mary Bance (Joiner) Alford in the death of her father, the Rev. H. Wynn Joiner, and also in the death of her husband, James E. Alford, Sr., both occurring last fall. Mary Bance

lives in Waverly Hall, Ga., with her son, James G. Alford, Jr.

Katherine (McElreath) McKoy's daughter, Jamie, a junior in high school, is planning to come to Wesleyan.

Evelyn (Sewell) Rineer has a daughter, Beth, born Christmas Day.

#### 1936

Carolyn Maxwell, working in the Healey Building in Atlanta, and Alice Chastain, working at Georgia Tech, see each other often.

Alley (Pendergrass) Cook, her husband and two daughters have moved to Richmond, Virginia.

Ella Pearl (Pinson) Hall and Rose (Pendergrass) Hillyer had a good time reminiscing about Wesleyan days recently when Rose and her little son visited Ella Pearl, her husband and three children in Bethesda, Md.

Frances (Stodghill) Atwater and her family (she has two children) live in Cartersville, Ga.

#### 1937

Sympathy is extended to Rebecca (Hall) Courson in the death of her husband in February.

Virginia (Scott) Estes is a delegate to the N.E.A. Convention in St. Louis, Mo., from the Third District.

#### 1938

Mary Yancey Pittard is in Albany now, and sees Celetta (Clarke) Fagan often.

Sympathy is extended to Bobbie (Ponder) Smith and to Faye (Ponder) Parks, '40, in the death of their mother following a stroke.

#### 1939

Betty (Aycock) Dorris and her family have moved to Biloxi, Miss., where her husband is chief of staff of the government hospital.

Sarah (Davison) Barrett is a volunteer director of a speech clinic sponsored by the Junior League in Jacksonville, Fla. Sarah, daughter of Louise (Davis) Davison, '09, director of the Davison School of Speech Correction in Atlanta, studied at Central Institute for the Deaf of Washington University after leaving Wesleyan.

Mary (Gardner) Oliver of Salem, W. Va., has a son, Hugh Karl, born December 1.

Frances (Ravellette) van de Putte, her husband, and two children have lived in Sao Paulo since 1946. Frances is organist for the American Church there. Her young daughter, Suzanne, is very talented also in music.

#### 1940

Sympathy is extended to Mary Ethel (Gerdine) Bitting of Ocala, Fla., and to her sister, Rebecca (Gerdine) Webb of Decatur in the death of their father a re-

tired missionary, in February. The Rev. Gerdine was a brother of Ella (Gerdine) Jordan, A.B. '91, of Atlanta.

#### 1941

Emily (Cottingham) Stuart's daughter, Mary Emily, will be a year old in July.

Josephine (Dunlap) Wilson of Athens has a daughter, Robin Dunlap, born March 10.

Isabel Rutherford is in Korea with the State Department.

#### 1942

Betty Anderson is now Mrs. Zolton Farkas, her husband a New York photographer.

Jane Foley is teaching in Atlanta.

Emily (Hearn) Webb has a son, Larry Hearn, born February 17.

Martha (Rodgers) Hudson's husband is with the Southern Bell Co., in Atlanta and teaches psychology at Georgia Evening College. In 1947 they adopted a seven-months-old daughter, Cynthia, who is already thinking of coming to Wesleyan although she is only three! Martha says she enjoys seeing Helen (White) Lindell, Bettye (Withers) Barnes, Virginia (Broome) Waterer, Elizabeth (Martin) Jennings (who has a lovely new baby girl), and Jane (Robertson) Wisdom (who lost her husband last July).

Miriam (Rudesal) Smith's husband is a doctor with the regular army, now stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C. They have a three-year-old son, Ralph, Jr.

#### 1943

Anne (Devereaux) Potts of Williamsburg, Va., and her two children, Edith and Dandi, visited Anne's mother in Macon in February.

Mary Armor (Hale) Norman of West Point has two daughters, Susan, aged 2, and Mary Elizabeth, about six weeks old.

Sybil (Sutherland) Gibson has a second "Wesleyanne-to-be," Jo Anne, born September 27. Little Sybil is not in kindergarten yet, but talking of going to Wesleyan.

#### 1944

Virginia (Blackburn) Hearn has a daughter, Sharon Virginia, born March 6. Mary Charsha is head nurse at Johns

Muriel Eichler was married in June, 1948, to J. Nelson Lord, Jr., with a television company. They live in Clifton, N. J.

Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore.

Mary Frances (Marlin) Robertson writes that Laura Mae Griffin and several friends have bought a house together on Springdale Road in Atlanta.

#### 1945

Winifred (Bosch) Titterton and her husband have recently bought a house on Long Island, N. Y. Their little Billy, now two, plays nicely with Jacky (Tichy) Lorch's little "Chip" of Bogota, N. J.

Miriam (Chylinski) Lykke, her husband and little son, Peer, live now in Oak Park, Ill., where Miriam has a job with the vocational guidance department of the University of Illinois.

Lois (Goldman) Cowan's husband is practicing law on Wall Street in New York, and Lois is assistant dean of students at Hunter College.

Regena (Grantham) Keen's little Karen Regena is nearly a year old. Regena and her family have recently built a new home in Dublin.

Jean (Hodnett) Barnes of Opelika, Ala., has a daughter, Harriet Ellen, born February 28. Her son, Augustus III, is now five years old.

Martha Martin was promoted to the office of executive director of the Bibb County Girl Scouts recently.

Sarah (Riggins) Clary's Elizabeth Ann was two in March.

#### 1946

Maryelle (Arnold) Burnett, living now in St. Joseph, Mo., has a daughter, Debbie, born last summer.

Virginia (Ball) Loveless has a son, John Lawrence, born November 15.

Ellen (Barber) Batson has a son, Braxton Scott, born February 8.

Bess Bledsoe teaches at the new E. Rivers School in Atlanta.

Beverly (Burgess) Hicks has a son, Lynnie, Jr., not quite two years old.

Louise (Cooley) Ray and her husband have moved to Lincoln, Nebraska, where he is serving his first charge as a pastor.

Emma Lee Felkel is working on a newspaper in Anderson, S. C.

Dot (Kinnett) Mozley has two daughters, Susan Jeanne, two, and Linda, who will be one in June.

Jane (Kollock) McCall and her husband have recently bought a house in Atlanta, 51 Lakewood Dr., N.W.

Joy Lawless and Dorothy Belle Barge went to Europe last summer. Joy teaches in Atlanta, and D.B. works in the laboratory of the Emory Dental School.

Sue (Lott) Clark leads a very busy life keeping house and teaching at Morning-side grammar school in Atlanta while Bill completes his medical course at Emory. She has finished work for the master's degree, too, with the exception of her thesis

Mary (McCord) Tierney has a daughter, Mary Margaret, born last May.

Ruth (Middlebrooks) Barnwell's son, James Middleton, Jr., was a year old in April.

Tracy Mishoe writes that she became Mrs. Bob Jonte in September, 1948. She lived in Oxford, Ohio, for a year while Bob finished his work at Miami Univerin

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sity, and they are now in Greenville, S. C. Marybelle (Morris) Swift has a daughter, Mary Louise, born January 10.

Louise (Pate) Skene paid a visit to Wesleyan in January when she was at home. She is living at University Court Apartments in Athens, Ga.

Helen (Proctor) Morris has a daughter, Margaret Karen, born December 17. Her husband is now stationed at Camp Hood, Texas.

Miriam (Sharp) Sheppard, Anne Morison, and Bobbie (Player) Reseigne of Folkston had a get-together in Waycross recently, Miriam has two daughters. Anne (Hopkins) Gowen lives in Folkston, and Anne (Lipscomb) Weld of Bartow, Fla., visited Bobbie there.

Margie (Soulie) Chandler has a son, Stephen Alan, born March 14. She and Don and the new son leave Emory in April to go to Williamsport, Tenn., where Don will serve his first appointment.

Joan (Tomlinson) Horton's second son, Richard King, was born in January, 1949. Scott is about four years old. The boys are grandsons of Louise (King) Horton, '18.

Ophelia (Trice) Holloman, now living in Atlanta, has a daughter, Frances Ophelia, about a year old.

#### 1947

Jeanette (Chichester) Adams' second child, Mary Malloy, was born in February in Japan, where her husband is stationed. The baby's paternal grandmother is Mary (King) Adams, '22, and great-grandmother er was Henrietta (Nesbit) King, '79.

Georgann (Dessau) Blum has a daughter, Estelle Stevens, born March 18, to be called "Stella." The baby is the grand-daughter of Frances (Stevens) Dessau,

Sarah (Garrison) Heindel has a son, Sidney Clark III, named for his father and grandfather.

Elizabeth (Lundy) Sterchi has a son, Gordon Andrew, Jr., born February 21.

Sympathy is extended to Betty Ann (McDonald) Bowen of Tifton in the death of her mother in December.

Frances (Oehmig) Collins has a daughter, Mary Catherine, born March 7, a "future Wesleyanne."

Gloria (Poitevint) Adams' daughter, Norma Ann, was born in January.

Betty (Shipp) Anderson of Ft. Valley has a son, Murray Elmo III, born March 20.

#### 1948

Katharine (Bartram) West and her husband both graduated from Duke in June, 1949, and are living in Tuscaloosa, Ala., where Troy teaches electrical engineering at the University of Alabama. Raymond, Jr., was born October 3, 1949. Peggy Beeson is keeping up her good record, having made an all "A" report the first semester at the University of Texas where she is working on her doctorate.

Margie (Burton) Dixon says she is now permanently settled in Atlanta where her husband is with the International Business Machines Corporation. Margie Louise II (called "Lou") was born September 1, and Margie thinks the class of '48 could easily outdo the class of '34 in number of marriages and number of children, particularly daughters!

Bettijo Hogan was in St. Louis, Mo., in February on a business trip for Rich's of Atlanta. Ann McMath and Virginia Rowland, she writes, dropped by to see her in the Atlanta store recently.

Doris (McKinney) Seaman, whose husband is with the U. S. Army in Trieste, Italy, writes to tell how much the alumnae magazine from Wesleyan means to her in that far country.

Frances (Scarratt) McDaniel is working at the University of Michigan where her husband is studying for his doctorate.

Virginia (Starnes) Hickman and her husband live in Kingsport, Tenn., Virginia teaching while Ballard works on his degree at East Tennessee State School.

Roberta (Williamson) Parker brought her eight-months-old son, Thomas Warren III, for a visit to Wesleyan in Feb-

#### 1949

Libba (Cook) Smith, recently moved to Statesboro, writes of having met a number of Wesleyannes there: Laura Margaret (Brady) Godby, '46; Virginia (Rushing) Trapnell, '46; Vernon (Keown) Bland, '35; Betty (Tillman)

Hodges, '48; Merle (Dorman) Sauve, '40; Betty Sue (Brannen) McDougald, '48.

Jean (Henninger) Hatch and her husband live in Darien, Conn., from where he commutes to his work in New York. Jean, Winifred (Bosch) Titterton, Martha (Fine) Schustak, and Lois (Goldman) Cowan have enjoyed seeing one another.

Janey (Lewis) Marin-Foucher was married on December 30 at St. Peter's Church in Hartford, Conn., to a psychiatrist on the staff of the Institute of Living where Janey was working. They will live in Mexico City, his home, where he will resume his practice.

Joyce Miller is teaching radio at Wesleyan, having studied last summer in New York, and having worked for radio stations in Macon, Augusta, Atlanta, and New York.

Jane (Morgan) Hogan has a daughter, Margaret Shelly, born March 19, to be called "Meg,"

Nell Rodgers is happy and busy in New York, working as a receptionist and doing graduate work in history of art at N. Y. U.

Betty Strom's address is now Fairfield, Belgaum, B. P., India. Kate Haywood writes of having a long letter from Betty telling of her work in that country.

Billie (Ward) Gaines sailed in March for Japan. where her husband is stationed with the 32nd Division.

#### 1951

Kitty Brabham is now Mrs. Ralph L. Hutto of Bamberg, S. C.

#### 1952

Kathleen (Pape) Hartley and her baby daughter, Diana, of Coral Gables, spent Christmas with her mother, Kathleen (Rogers) Pape, '19.

#### SUMMER SCHOOL AT WESLEYAN

JUNE 19 - AUGUST 1

Courses in art, music, speech, theatre arts, English, Bible, history, Latin, speech correction, and a number of other subjects will be offered for adults. Alumnae will be interested in these.

A High School Workshop, open to boys or girls at least 16 years of age, will help to give these students a sound basis for college work. (June 10 - August 31.)

#### For information write

Director of Summer School Wesleyan College, Macon, Ga.



## RESERVATIONS FOR COMMENCEMENT, 1950

## Friday, June 2

On Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock, there will be an *informal* dinner for national officers, presidents of Wesleyan clubs, and members of the reunion classes listed below. This will be in the *college* dining room, on the Rivoli campus. There is no charge for this dinner, but reservations must be made by May 27 in order that we may plan accommodations. If you are in one of these groups, please check the square at the right if you will be at the dinner.

REUNION	CLASSES
Fiftieth Anniversary Class	1900
Twenty-fifth Anniversary Class	1925
1885, 1886,	1887, 1888
1904, 1905,	1906, 1907
1923, 1924,	1925, 1926
1942, 1943,	1944, 1945
	(Check here)
Reserve a place for me at the dinner for	r officers and reunioners on
Friday evening at Rivoli.	
Reserve space for me in the dormitory for Frie	day night.
(Out-of-town members of reu	nion classes, national officers, and club
presidents are invited to be guests	of the college.)
Saturday	June 3
I plan to be present for the Alumnae Me George Foster Pierce Chapel, Wesleyan Con Moss Comer of Sylacauga, Alabama.)	
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